

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

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In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF THE MUHLENBERG)
COUNTY WATER DISTRICT, A WATER)
DISTRICT ORGANIZED PURSUANT TO KRS)
CHAPTER 74 OF THE KENTUCKY REVISED) CASE NO. 9019
STATUTES FOR A GENERAL ADJUSTMENT)
OF RATES AND REVISION OF RATES FOR)
SAID DISTRICT)

O R D E R

On September 4, 1984, Muhlenberg County Water District ("Muhlenberg") filed its annual financial report with the Commission for calendar year 1983. On September 7, 1984, Muhlenberg filed a motion wherein it stated its belief that all necessary information had been filed and therein requested that this matter be set for hearing as soon as possible.

SUMMARY

The Commission, having reviewed the recently filed information, is of the opinion and finds that:

1. Calendar year 1983 should be adopted as the test year for the purposes of this proceeding.
2. In order to expedite this proceeding, the request for a Purchased Water Adjustment ("PWA") should be processed separately prior to addressing the request for a general rate increase.
3. A hearing will not be necessary for the purpose of processing Muhlenberg's proposed PWA; however, it is necessary

that Muhlenberg file all relevant data as required under 807 KAR 5:067, Section (1) a, b, c, e and f, based upon the new test year.

4. Any increase associated with Muhlenberg's PWA should be treated as an interim increase to be placed into effect subject to refund pending the final disposition of this case.

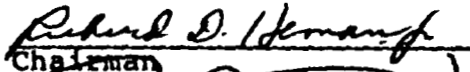
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that Muhlenberg's financial operating data for calendar year 1983 is hereby adopted as the test year data for purposes of this proceeding.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Muhlenberg shall file the information necessary to process its requested PWA, as set out in Finding No. 3 herein, by no later than October 12, 1984.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that Muhlenberg's PWA shall be treated as an interim increase subject to refund pending the Commission's final decision on the requested general increase.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 26th day of September, 1984.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:

Secretary